Case 06-10725-qwz Doc 637 Entered 06/13/06 16:52:32 Page 1 of 3 **ELECTRONICALLY FILED** June 13, 2006 STUTMAN, TREISTER & GLATT, P.C. SHEA & CARLYON, LTD. FRANK A. MEROLA, ESQ. JAMES PATRICK SHEA, ESQ. California State Bar No. 136934 Nevada State Bar No 000405 EVE H. KARASIK, ESQ. CANDACE C. CARLYON ESQ. California State Bar No. 155356 Nevada State Bar No. 002666 CHRISTINE M. PAJAK SHLOMO S. SHERMAN, ESQ. Nevada State Bar No. 009688 California State Bar No. 217173 1901 Avenue of the Stars, 12th Floor 233 S. Fourth Street, Second Floor Los Angeles, California 90067 Las Vegas, NV 89101 Telephone: (310) 228-5600 Telephone: (702)471-7432 Facsimile: (310) 228-5788 Facsimile: (702)471-7435 Email: jshea@sheacarlyon.com E-mail: fmerola@stutman.com ekarasik@stutman.com ccarlyon@sheacarlyon.com ssherman@sheacarlyon.com cpajak@stutman.com Counsel for the official Committee of Equity Security Holders of USA Capital First Trust Deed Fund, LLC UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA BK-S-06-10725-LBR In re: USA COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE COMPANY. Chapter 11 Debtor. BK-S-06-10726-LBR In re: USA CAPITAL REALTY ADVISORS, LLC. Chapter 11 Debtor. BK-S-06-10727-LBR In re: USA CAPITAL DIVERSIFIED TRUST DEED FUND, LLC, Chapter 11 Debtor. BK-S-06-10728-LBR USA CAPITAL FIRST TRUST DEED FUND, LLC, Chapter 11 Debtor. BK-S-06-10729-LBR In re: USA SECURITIES, LLC, Chapter 11 Debtor. Affects Date: June 21, 2006 All Debtors Time: 9:30 a.m. USA Commercial Mortgage Co. Place: Courtroom #1 USA Securities, LLC USA Capital Realty Advisors, LLC USA Capital Diversified Trust Deed USA First Trust Deed Fund, LLC

DECLARATION OF EVE H. KARASIK IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ORDER SHORTENING TIME ON APPLICATION OF OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS OF USA CAPITAL FIRST TRUST DEED FUND, LLC FOR

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ORDER AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION OF ALVAREZ & MARSAL, LLC AS ITS FINANCIAL AND REAL ESTATE ADVISOR NUNC PRO TUNC TO JUNE 1, 2006

(AFFECTS USA FIRST TRUST DEED FUND, LLC)

I, Eve H. Karasik, Esq., hereby declare and state as follows:

- 1. The following facts are personally known to me and if called to testify thereto, I could and would do so under oath.
- 2. I make this declaration in support of the Application of official Committee of Equity Security Holders of USA Capital First Trust Deed Fund, LLC for Order Authorizing Employment and Retention of Alvarez & Marsal, LLC as its Financial and Real Estate Advisor Nunc Pro Tunc to June 1, 2006 (the "Application").
 - 3. The above-captioned debtors filed bankruptcy on April 13, 2006.
- 4. On May 10, 2006, the United States Trustee appointed the official Committee of Equity Security Holders of USA Capital First Trust Deed Fund, LLC (the "Committee"), to represent the interests of the investors in that entity (the "Investors") throughout the administration of the estate.
- 5. This Bankruptcy Case presents many issues of financial complexity, and the Committee requires significant financial advise and counsel in order to determine the Debtor's accurate financial and operational condition, the evaluation of accounting analyses prepared by the Debtor, and other financial services relating to the administration and the development of the Bankruptcy Case.
- 6. In its Amended Order Establishing Case Management Procedures entered on May 17, 2006, the Court set Omnibus Hearing Dates for all matters relating to the Bankruptcy Case. The next Omnibus Hearing Date following the June 21, 2006 hearing date is set for July 25, 2006. However, the need for comprehensive financial advice and services is immediate and

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1	cannot wait until the July 25 th Omnibus Hearing Date.	
2	7. For these and other reasons, it would thus be beneficial to the administration o	
3	the estate for the aforementioned Motion to be heard on shortened time. Respectfully submitted this 13th day of June, 2006.	
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